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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27	139	139 130 139 130 Non-English specification					
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Extra Claims below Fee Paid		1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
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102 84 202 42 Independent claims in excess of 3	146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection		
104 280 204 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	```		- 10		(37 CFR § 1.129(a))		
109 84 209 42 "Reissue independent claims over original patent	149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))		
110 18 210 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20	179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		
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